

19 November 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR: General Counsel

SUBJECT : Payment of Travel Expenses  
[redacted]

1. Please refer to your memorandum for Deputy Assistant Director for Personnel, dated 26 July 1954, with reference to the above subject. The attachments hereto indicate the action which has been taken subsequent to the date of your memorandum.

2. As indicated in the final paragraph of your memorandum, the justification for the requirement that [redacted] reimburse the Agency would seem to depend upon it being determined as to whether his recall to active duty, as requested by the Agency, was either "an accommodation to satisfy a personal desire on the part of [redacted] to satisfy completely the terms of the Doctors' Draft Law before the date of his departure from Washington" or "based on some official requirement".

3. The determination as to which reason prompted the Agency's action seems to remain unresolved. However, you stated that if the former was the reason for the Agency's action, it was your opinion that [redacted] is - - - perhaps legally responsible for the repayment of the amount of a benefit to which he became entitled solely because of compliance by this Agency with his personal desires at additional expense to the Agency" (underscoring supplied).

4. In view of Personnel's letter to [redacted] his reply, and the former's reference of the matter now to the Comptroller's Office for further attempts leading to possible collection of the amount involved, it is requested that, with your return of the attachments hereto, you advise as to whether there is any definite legal basis for our further demand upon [redacted] that he reimburse the Agency.

[redacted]  
Chief, Fiscal Division

## Attachments (6)

Memo 11/2 to Comptroller from Personnel

Lr. 27 Oct. from [redacted] to Personnel

Lr. 13 Oct. to [redacted] from Personnel

Lr. 18 Aug. to [redacted] from Personnel

Memo 12 Aug. from [redacted] to Personnel

Memo 28 July to Comptroller from Personnel

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